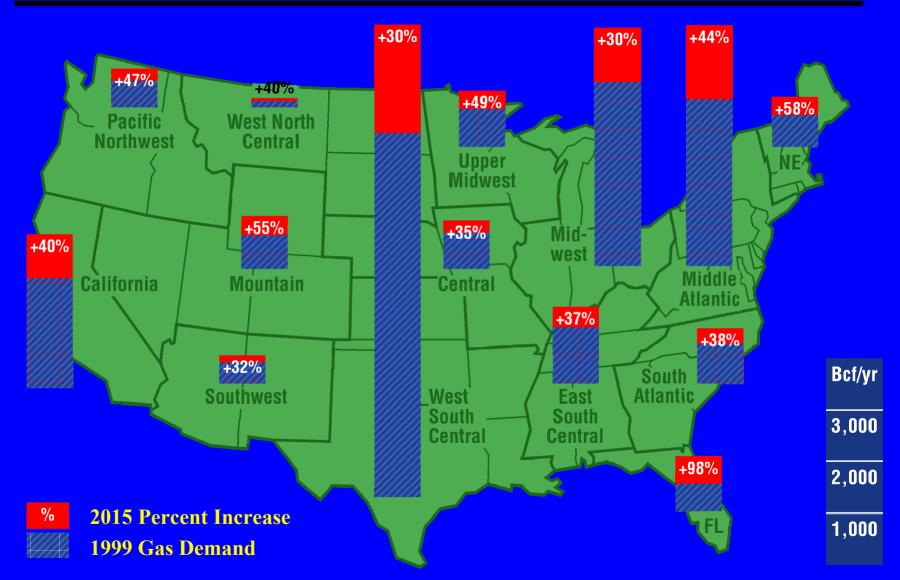


Offshore Gulf of Mexico LNG Regasification Terminal

More Clean Energy for America

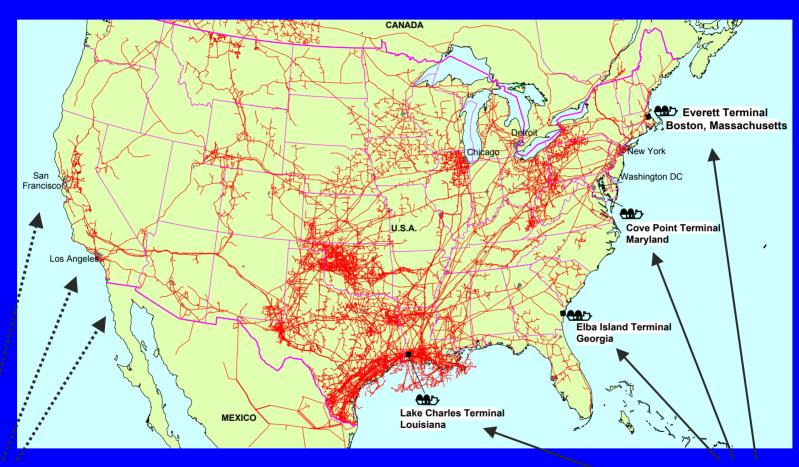


Natural Gas Demand will Increase in All Regions (1999 NPC Reference Case)





LNG into the US gas market

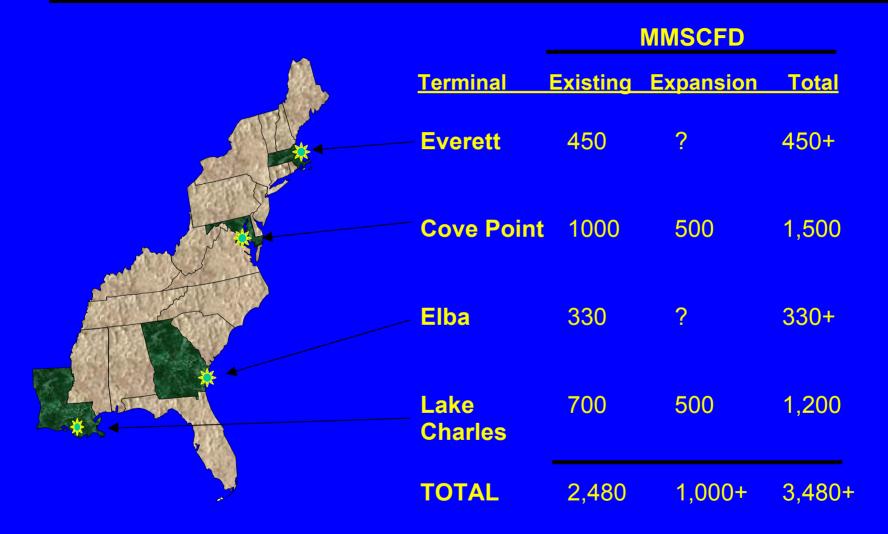


No regas capacity on W.Coast, although SF/LA lie at the end of transmission grids

LNG is competitive into this efficient, liquid traded market that functions on price alone

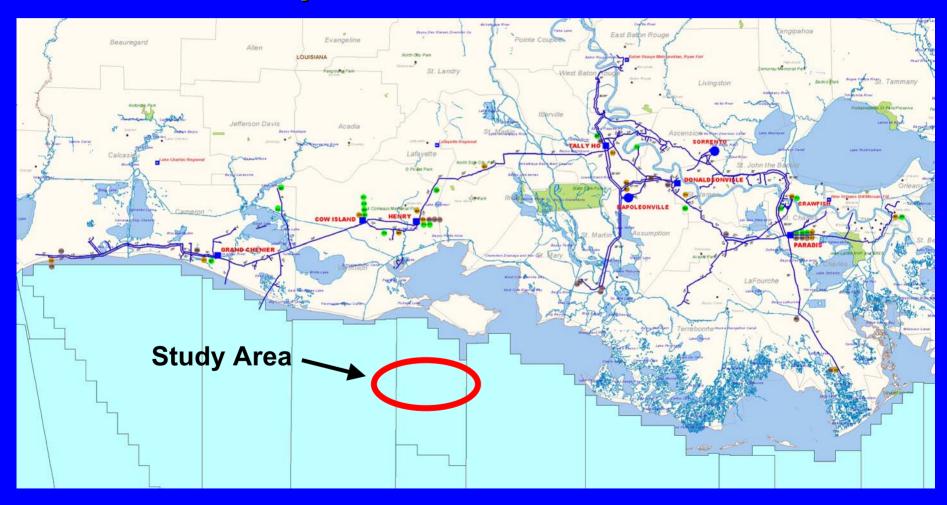


EXISTING U.S. LNG TERMINALS



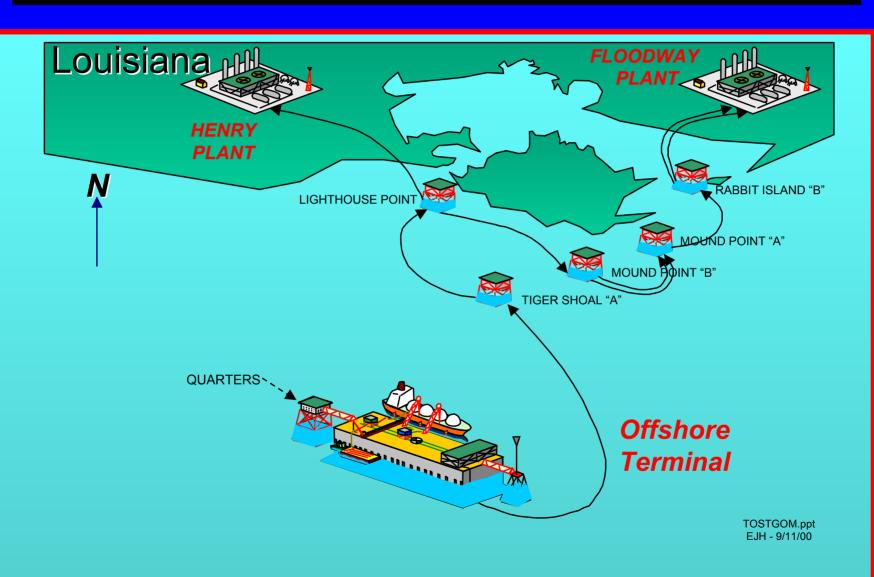
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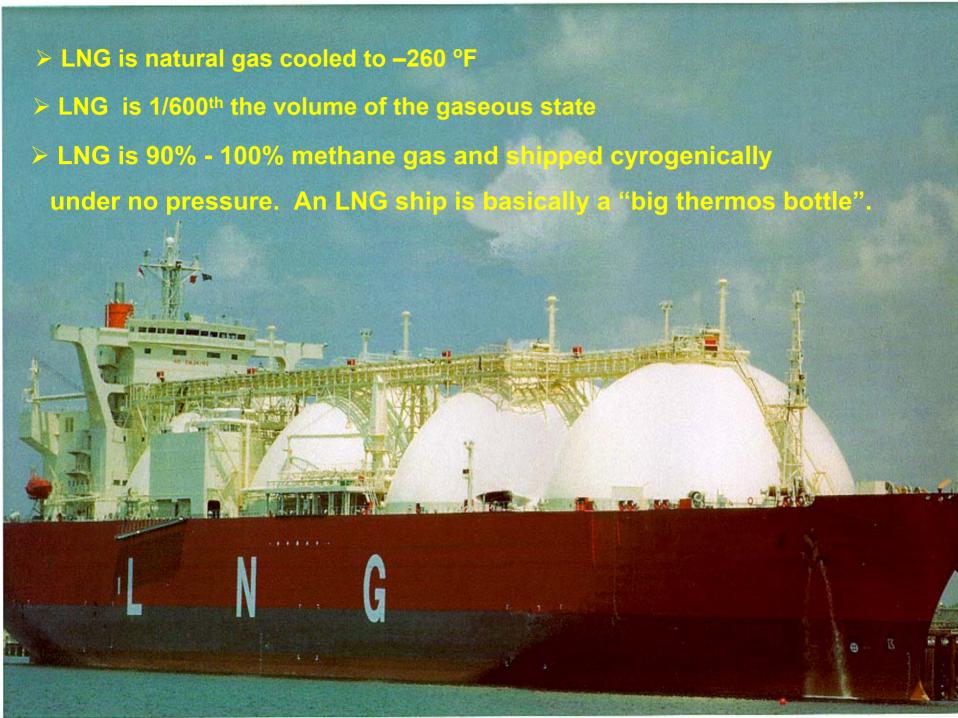
Pipeline Infrastructure





LNG Receiving Terminal







SITE SELECTION

- Minimize Environmental Impact
- Access to World Class Infrastructure
- Facilitate Shipping Access
- Flexible Expansion 1 to 2 BCFD
- Reduce NIMBY Factor

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SUPPLY IMPACT

- Provides Energy to Households
 1BCF > 3 Million
- Positive Regional Economic Benefit
- Support Energy Policy
 - Infrastructure Investment
 - Diversification of Energy Supply/National Security
 - Reliable Energy Source
 - Environmentally Acceptable
 - Competitively Priced



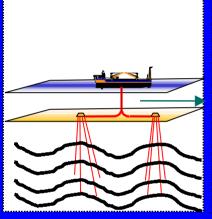
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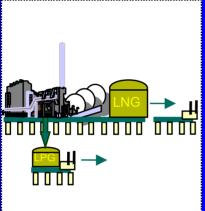
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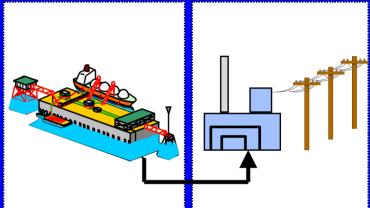
Receiving,
Storage
& Regasification

SPA with End User











NEW LNG VALUE CHAIN

Subsurface Development

Liquefaction, Storage & Loading

Shipping

Receiving, Storage & Regasification

& Receiving, Storage & Regasification

& Marketing

The US Market Allows LNG to Shorten the Value Chain

BENEFITS of TEXACO'S LNG STRATEGY

- Clean energy (Fuel of Choice)
 - In harmony with needs and energy policy
- Low Environmental Impact
 - Use of existing infrastructure, vessel routing
- Jobs and Tax base
- Reduces Greenhouse Gas
- Development of stranded gas resources
- Enhances North America Gas Market